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OPERATING SYSTEM AND DOWNLOADING OF MALWARE
DETECTION FILES

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STATUS INQUIRY

The above-identified application was filed on July 17, 2003. However, since then applicant has not received an Official Filing Receipt from the Patent Office regarding the application. Inquiry is made as to when the Official Filing Receipt will be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,

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